Tus second trial of ex-Detective Dan-

OXFORD, MISS., THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 9, 1893. The Rigelow carpet mills of Boston. CURRENT TOPICS. CHAIRMAN PECK reports the World's fair treasury, in a healthy condition. All obligations have been met and

FIFTY-THIRD CONGRESS.

Coughlan for alleged complicity is marrier of Dr. Cronin, on May 4. was begun in Chicago on the 3d. [Extra Session.] In the senate, on the 30th (legislar

pso, was begun in Chicago on the ad.

On the night of the 31st the Liberty Bell left Chicago on its return to Philiple Self left Chicago on its said, to be sensored from the City of Brotherly Love.

Prince Annonio of Orleans, husband of the Infanta Eulalie, and lieutenant closel in the hussar regiment "Princes," will join the Spanish troops at Reflio.

The senate amendment to the silver prehase-repeal bill was passed by the louse, on the 1st, and one hour and thirty-five minutes later was signed by the Pomer of the Self left Self le

PERSONAL AND GENERAL

Ermorgan military authorities, out-

James Store the self-confessed mur-

HEZEKIAH L. HOSNER, ex-chief jus-

tice of Montana, died in San Francis-

was one of the proprietors, and started

the daily paper of that name. In 1864 he was appointed by President Lincoln chief justice of Montana.

Ox the 31st Postmaster-General Ris-

ell transmitted to the secretary of the

reasury the estimates for the post office

A serious railroad collision occurred

Norfolk & Western railway in Nor-

based upon the returns of cash fares

for the time, excluding all transfers,

THE Elwood (Ind.) window-glass fac-

tory, employing 600 hands, was discor-red to be burning on the morning

njury of five others.

thers who rode free.

October \$5,142,050.01.

the Lambert Point branch of the

bill was passed by a vote of 182 to 92.

Is the senate, on the M among a number of bills passed was house bill providing for the construction of a steam revenue cutter for service on the great lakes at a cost not to exceed \$17,900. Consideration of the bill for the relief of the cyclone sufferers on the coast of Georgia and South Carolina and on the Sea islands was objected to by Mr. Cockreil, and it went over without action. House bill to extend the time for the enforcement of the Chinese expulsion act was the upand passed. In the house a joint resolution to adjourn on the M at 3 p. m. was passed, as was the World's fair prize-winners' exhibit till. Filibustering occupied most of the session.

Is the senate, on the M. Mr. Cockreil reminent men in southern Indiana. stricken with heart disease, on ist, and died a few minutes later. He was 55 years of age. ALL that was mortal of Carter H. Haron, late mayor of Chicago, was laid to nest, with imposing ceremonies and at-tended by the largest funeral pageant

troops will're

been ailing for some time.

ender was well educated.

ever witnessed in the west, in Grace-PRINCE ALFRED WINDISCH-GRATZ, whom Emperor Francis Joseph desired to succeed Count Taafe as Austrian prime minister, has announced that, swing to important family considera-

tous, he is unable to accept the office. PATRICK EUGENE JOSEPH PRENDER east, the murderer of Mayor Harrison of Chicago, was arraigned in coat-the 3d and pleaded not guilty. The as-ussin was so nervous when led to the almost collapsed.

Ir took nearly five hours for the proon of Cincinnati school children to pass the car upon which rested the Lib-erty Bell, in that city, on the 2d, and when they were gone the car and bell were hidden from view under a moun-

A CRANK entered the office of Edwin fould, in New York, on the 30th, and demanded, instantly, \$5,000. Mr. fould stepped into another room, teleassistance and then enter ained his visitor until officers arrived and took him into custody.

THE Midway plaisance fakirs gues, will carry home about \$1,000,-80 as their harvest for the six mounts of the World's fair. At least \$20,000 in of small denominations, pasted rice pa-per on the defaced portions, and with engraving ink etched figures on the interfeit money, lead quarters and onfederate notes were passed upon

PRENDERGAST, the murderer of Mayor Harrison in Chicago, is having a rough time in jail. The other prisoners have aken to using every opportunity to fer at the wretch, and shricking imations at him, so that exercise outside his cell has been made practically in impossibility.

THE reorganized national Germanperican bank, of St. Paul, Minn. which closed its doors during the finan ial stringency, August 4, reopened on the 31st. Since its failure the bank had made collections aggregating \$620,-900, nearly \$200,000 more than required

SENATOR SHERMAN was accorded an thusinstic reception by the Cincin-ti commercial exchange, of which he a member, on the 3d. He addressed assembled members on the recent ight in the senate and the probable reit of the repeal of the purchasing

GRORGE E. STUDEBANER, who was June 30, 1805. The total amount is \$00,-209,485, as against \$84,004,314 for the egated by the A. O. U. W. to visit counties of southwestern Kansa irs there, returned to Topeka, on the st. and his account of the suffering Mixon C. Krith's elipper fruit steamer Foxball from Port Limon, Costa Rica, Seward, Grant, Stevens, Morton

the 31st. Among her passengers was Francis H. Weeks, the New York em-JUDGE DAILEY, of the Indiana subezzler, in charge of Detectives Reilly beene court, rendered a decision, on the first, holding the peculiar election believy law of that state constitu-By its terms a man who atlempts to purchase another's vote must pay the person approached \$500, and may suffer imprisonment besides.

THE Northwestern Miller reports the ck of wheat in private elevators of inneapolis, on the 30th, at 507,000 Minneapolis, on the 30th, at 507,000 lushels, a gain over the previous week of 63,000 bushels. This made the total stock at Minneapolis, and Duluth 13,665,388 bushels, an increase of 1,309,979 bushels, against 11,348,000 bushels at the same date last year.

A CRAZY printer walked in on Super-intendent of Police Byrnes of New York, on the 31st, and asked him for the

\$100,000 the superintendent owned him.
The original amount, he said, was \$75,300, but the interest had increased it to
\$100,000. He wanted the \$25,000 interst in pennies. He was invited into the detectives' room to get the money. nutes later found himself

MAJ.-GEN. SIE CHRISTOPHEE CHARLES ERSDALE, V. C., R. A. K. C. M. G., C. R, her majesty's master of ceremonies, and at one time equerry to the prince of Wales, and who accompanied the latter on his trip to America, died, on the lat, at Bangor, Wales, of paralysis Cash in the treasury, \$729,447,614.

there is a cash balance on hand of \$2, The gate receipts from now on and the salvage, it is figured, will pay the current expenses until the end, so that the stockholders who have holdings representing \$5,000,000, upon which they scarcely expected to realize anything, will be paid fifty cents on

SHORTLY after I o'clock on the morning of the 2d a fire broke out in the ouse at No. 19 Third street, New York. A second alarm was sent out shortly after the firemen reached the scene. Six firemen were overcome by gas and dragged out of the place by their com-

JAMES F. BRANNEN, the leader of the mob that lynched Duniel Arata, the Italian murderer, in Denver, Col., on the night of July & last, was indicted by the grand jury on the 1st.

A FLOURING mill boiler exploded, on the 1st, at Windfall, Ind., instantly killing Lewis Mill. Everything was

THE silver repeal bill was entered spon the records at the White House, on the 2d, and the official parchment copy was sent to the state department for filing with the archives of the gov-

cialists held in Brussels, on the 1st, it was resolved to carry on an active propaganda to bring about a strike amo the soldiers of Belgium and elsewhere THE Viking started from Chicago, on the 3d, for St. Paul, Minn., to which

city it was presented before the close of the World's fair TEX THOUSAND persons witnessed the inveiling of the statue of the late. Sir John Macdonald at Hamilton, Out., on

Sxow fell for an hour at St. Paul. Minn., on the morning of the id, with the thermometer at the freezing point. THE paid admissions to the World's fair on the 2d were 8,642.

Is the senate, on the M. Mr Cockrell re-ported back from the committee on appropria-tions the house joint resolution for final ad-journment at 3 p.m. There was a feeble op-position to the resolution, which, however, was agreed to without division. House bill in add of the World's Fair Print Winners' exhibi-tion was passed. The many monotropy M. R. Curris, the actor, who is wanted in San Francisco as a witness in the case of McMaddus and Dunn, charged with bribery in the Curtis murder trial, left that city, on the 2d, on an east-bound train, putting himself be cond the jurisdiction of the California

tion was passed. The usual resolutions of thanks were passed and responsive speeches made, and after a short executive session the senate adjourned. In the house the only nate adjourned. In the house the only betantial achievement was the final dispo-tion of the bill allowing a rebate on World's ir exhibits acquired by the Columbian mo-tion, the greater part of the three hours' ses-to being spent in a wrangle over pay and of nat of conventional Ox the 3d the London admiralty court awarded \$1,250 salvage against the Dutch steamer Maasdam in favor of the British steamer Winchester and her crew, the latter to receive \$450 of back pay of congressional employes. At 3 o'clock, with the fall of the speaker's gavel.

perintendents of the United States mints at San Francisco and New Oreans to resume the coinage, suspended ome time ago, of standard silver dolside of France and Russia, are con-

MISS ANNIE HOWARD, who was to gratulating themselves that Russian quire at least a year's drill have been married to the late Mayor in the use of their new magazine guns before they will be ready to take the Harrison of Chicago, left that city on the ad for her home in Biloxi. Miss. LATER reports say that but six lives

FATHER-GENERAL SORIN, founder of rere lost by the burning of the steamer City of Alexandria, off the Cuban coast the Notre Dame university at South Bend, Ind., died on the 31st. He had though seven others were still missing

THE new French tax on bourse trans-E. A. McCilliver and Joseph Irwin Were arrested by the police of Sioux City, Ia., on the 20th, for counterfeit-July 10 last, has yielded in four months the sum of 2,079,000 francs. ing. They scraped the figures off bills

THE president signed the Chinese bill amending the Geary act on the 3d. on the 3d were 5,690.

paper, raising the bills to \$20 and \$50 THE old hotel in Apple Creek, O., made famous as the home for many years of the noted lion-tamer, Herr lerer of six members of the Wratten family, in Daviess county, Ind., made Driesbach, was burned to the ground a third confession, on the 31st, before the grand jury, in which he implicated on the night of the 3d.

CONDENSED TELEGRAMS.

everal other persons whose object, he said, was robbery. MAYOR LATROSE of Baltimore, Md. THERE were only five new cases of on the 31st, received an anonymous letrellow ferer reported at Brunswick, ter in which he was threatened with in-Ga., on the 5th, all of them were colored. tant death if he failed to provide em-There is no certainty when the epidemic ployment for the idle workingmen of the city. The letter showed that the will be declared off.

THE house of George Cooper, a farme esiding near Rock Island, Ill., was burned to the ground on the 5th, and co. on the 31st, aged 78. He was born two little girls, Nellie and Sadie John n Henderson, N. Y. After being adson, aged respectively 9 and 4 years, mitted to the bar he went to Ohio, edited the Toledo Blade, of which he

Tux Illinois Central will soon run eries of homeseekers' excursions to points in the South at one fare for the ound trip. The object of these excursions is to find settlers for the 600,000 acres of land owned by the Yazoo & Mississippi Valley road which are now without occupants.

lepartment for the fiscal year ending The total amount of paper currency utstanding October 31, 1893, was \$1,-163,117,570, of which \$341,681,016 was in United States notes, \$152,735,188 treasury notes, \$208,829,693 national bank arrived at New Orleans on the night of notes, \$79,005,160 gold certificates, \$333. 444,504 silver certificates and \$22,405,000 currency certificates.

A mor took place in the jail at St. Louis on the 4th, in which twenty prisoners took part. Curses and ground filled the "bull-pen" and all the prisoners were wrought up to a high pitch folk. Va. on the 31st, resulting in the oners were we death of two men and the dangerous of excitement.

[Ir is said that the President will issue TEE Chicago City Railway Co. transported 78,000,000 passengers between May I and October 51. This estimate temporary commissions, good until the next meeting of Congress, to all those persons nominated for public office but who falled of confirmation by the Sen-

policemen, hremen, employes and HARRIET ANN, daughter of Thurlow for by Miss Hall's nurses in the Child-Weed, died in New York, after a linren's building during the six months of gering illness, of pleurisy, on the 1st, the fair. Only one of the number was abandoned by his unnatural protectors. The public debt increased during This one is a very small boy, hardly

three moiths old. THE imports of specie at the port of New York for the past week were \$250,-199, of which \$277,608 were gold and 82,491 silver.

of the 1st. The immense plant was situated outside the limits of water-In the case of Sadie Means, the tele works lines and could not be reached phone girl who was expelled from the by the department. In twenty minutes Second Presbyterian church at Columwhole building was ablaze. The bia, S. C., for working in the telephone plant is a total wreck, and its employes are thrown out of work at the beginexchange on Sunday, the South Carolina synod has ordered that the action ning of winter. Loss, \$30,000; insurof the Charleston presbytery be an THE public debt statement issued on nulled, and that Miss Means be rethe 1st showed a net increase in the stored to her rights as a member of the debt during October of \$5,141,058.01. hurch.

FINANCE AND TRADE.

ral Outlook The Country as Seen Through R. G. Dun & Country as Seen Through R. G. Dun & Co's. Weekly Review Good Effects of Silver-Purchase Repeal Alrendy Becoming Manifest in Legitimate Business, But Speculation Not Mach Affected—The Weekly Failures, Ect.

NEW YORK, Nov. 4.-R. G. Dun & Co.'s weekly review of trade, issued today, says:

large proportion of the buyers during the past month have been calculating to realize with profit on the passage of the bill and those who realized first did best.

The action of congress had less visible influence upon speculative markets for proflucts, in part because foreign markets obstinately refused to accept the higher valuations which speculators here tried to establish. Though people across the water award unstituted praises to those who secured the passage of the repeal bill, there is not much disposition to pay higher prices on that account for wheat or com. In view of the great abundance of money at speculative centers, the weakness of markets is more significant. Wheat was 2 cents lower, receipts being didt, 735 hushels for the week, against 101,631 for the same week hast year, while exports were only 567,845 bushels, against 2,671,756 hist year. If foreign countries are on the verge of famine their traders do not seem to have discovered the fact. Corn receipts were barger than last year and prices declined a fraction. Oats advanced a little though the receipts continue large.

Industries could not be expected to make any material gain as yet in consequence of new financial conditions, but the demand for textile products has to some extent improved. Carefully scrutinized, the increase of orders appears to be almost wholly due to the gradual exhaustion of stocks in the hands of dealers, wholesale and retail, and not yet to any appears to be consumers has been at the bot surchases by consumers has been at the bot surchases and retails and

exhaustion of sectall, and not yet to any apparentiable increase in sales to consumers. The most astonishing shrinkage ever known in purchases by consumers has been at the bottom of the prostration of trade and manufactures, and as yet there is scarcely any sign of improvement in that respect. But as retail stocks run short, and in turn wholesale stock are depicted, the mills feet an increasing demand, mostly in the form of numerous small orders for immediate delivery. This kind of demand has kept many mills running during the past week, though the lack of orders have closed more textile mills than have resumed. The sales of wool have been materially in creased by purchases for some large worster.

The sales of wool have been materially in creased by purchases for some large worstat and dress goods works, presumably because they have orders for continued operations, even though it may be for a short time only, and the sales at the three chief markets were 4,50-500 pounds, against 7,000,001 for the same weeks last year.

The metal-working industries manifest little gain as yet. The miner metals are weaker on the whole, though a speculation littlet lead a trifle to 35c, but large sales afterwards occurred at 14c. Tin was depressed at 245c, copper was sold at 9.75c for lake. As yet, Iron and steel manufacture shows soarcely any and steel manufacture shows scarcely any signs of recovery. There has been some increase, it is sudged from peinted reports, in the number of farmaces in blast, but the output still appears to largely exceed the consumption, and there is more pressure to sell pig iron than to buy. The orders for finished products are still small, and do not appear to be increasing, and while at Pittsburgh some orders have been secured from the east by exceptionally low bids, at the Joilet works the prices quoted are on the whole lower than last week. There is not much doing in steel rails, although sales are reported at \$77 per ton, a decline of \$6, and har and structural iron are also lower.

In boots and shoes a somewhat better demand appears and yet not enough to keep the works fully occupied. The shipments from the case for the past week were 28.87 cases, against \$6,65 last year.

The volume of domestic trade gains but little, exchanges outside New York being 223 per cent, lower than last year for the week. The exports of products for the past month have been about \$1,00,000 larger than last year, while imports have been about \$1,50,000 may be a expert of exports of products for the past month have been about \$1,00,000 larger than last year, while imports have been about \$1,50,000 may be in significantly following madder, which indicates an excess of exports

to been about \$1.000.000 larger than hast year. ille imports have been about \$1.000.000 aller, which indicates an excess of exports \$10.000.000 for the month. The railroads have us doing a little better, but returns do not ne up to those of hast year. The treasury sheen gaining in reserve most of the week "allures for the week number like in the field States, against 236 hast year, and 25 in mada, against 31 hast year.

LONDON OPINIONS of the Probable Effect of the Repeal of the Silver Purchasing Clause of the Sherman Act.

Lospox, Nov. 4.-The Speaker itorially to-day of the repeal of the

Sherman act:

There is a feeling of relief in the United States and Europe. The repeal of the Sherman act pures the way to the restoration of prospecity in America. Everybody knows now what the money of the United States is to be, and distrust will soon die out.

The writer enumerates a list of reforms which, he says, are needed budly in the United States, and ought to be undertaken at once as follows:

to be undertaken at once, as follows: Modification of the McKinley act; revision of the pension list: restora-tion of the \$100,000,000 gold reserve in the treasury (if necessary through a loan at home or abroad), and a com-plete overhauling of the national bankng system. While acknowledging that the national banks of the United

States are splendidly managed, the writer condemns the system as utterly bad. The Statist insists that since the re peal of the Sherman act the most press ing need of the United States finances is the reform of the banking system. It predicts the further fall of silver, ascribing the present steadiness of the market to the heavy repurchases made by the bear element. English investors are advised to hold aloof from all

Paris, Nov. 4 .- "Les Roi." a drama by Le Maitre, which was to have been produced next Monday at the Renais-sance theater by Sarah Bernhardt, has been interdicted, the Austrian ambassador having protested because the principal scene suggested too strongly the death of the Crown Prince Rudolph.

American securities.

A United States Marshal Re Paris, Tex., Nov. 4 .- J. J. Dicker nited States marshal for the eastern district, has resigned his position, for business reasons. His term would have expired in 1804.

he Body of the Late Carter H. Harrison Chicago's Murdered Mayor, Borne to the Tomb, Escorted by the Greatest Fu-neral Fageant Ever Seen in the West and Witnessed by Fully Half a Million Socrowing Citizens.

Cuicago, Nov. 2.-With pomp and ircumstance and a wealth of honors befitting the obsequies of a king the remains of Chicago's late mayor were laid to rest yesterday and left alone in the quiet of Graceland cemetery. Not in the palmy days of his greatest tri-umphs did the great mass of the peo-ple whose applause was so dear to his heart pay him so heart felt a tribute as they did while he took his last journey through the busy streets, amid the music of the pageant, past the splendid residenced, over the broad ulevards of that Chicago he loved so well. More than 30,000 men walked with slow step, keeping time to the solemn measure of the funeral dirge, and probably ten times that number of men and women stood by with bared and bowed heads while his bier went on its melancholy way.

At about 10 o'clock the magnificent funeral car, drawn by four coal black horses, covered with heavy funeral deckings of black silk, rolled up to the entrance of the city hall. A more magnificent death car can scarcely be imagined. Of heavy black wood, enclosing heavy French plateglass, surmounted by life-like images glass, surmounted by life-like images of mourning, great golden carriage lampe, magnificent drapings of rich black, the woodwork touched up gorgeously with gold, the hearse was an impressive object. Behind it was led the late mayor's favorite horse, saddled and bridled as though waiting for its master. The sale is the sale ing for its master. The only indication that he might not appear and mount into the saddle was a single bit of crepe which fell from the bridle.

The Casket Carered. The casket rested in the City hall until 10:30 o'clock, when Undertaker Jordan placed the black coverings over the glass plate. No word was spoken as it was placed in position, but away in the distance came the notes of a hymn from a chorus of fifty children. "Rest," came the final words of the

song. The Funeral Cortege The funeral cortege moved east from the city hall and courthouse, to Michigan avenue; along that thorough-fare to Jackson street, and then due west to Ashland boulevard. In the down-town streets the crowds were so great that the police were at tin compeled to force a passageway for the procession, and even Jackson boulevard, on the West side, was thronged with people eager to witness the last mors being paid the city's chief magistrate.

On reaching Ashland boulevard the line turned north and proceeded to the Epiphany Protestant Episcopal church on the corner of Adams street and the boulevard. When the funeral car arrived opposite the church the line was halted, and the casket was raised by

at decoration was made. Behind the pulpit two vases of white chrysanthe-mums were placed, but no other flowers or crepe were to be seen. Only the softened sunlight streaming through the stained-glass windows fell upon

Up the center aisle, with slow steps the pallbearers moved, and set down their burden before the rail. Close beside it lay a pillow of chrysanthenums, the gift of the German commissioners at the fair. Then the strains of Beethoven's funeral march sounded from the organ and the surpliced choir area Closely following the pallbearers, the

council, city officers and county com missioners entered and took their seats on the north side of the church. Meanwhile the immediate family and other mourners had entered by a side door and taken their seats in the front pews. Mrs. Owsley and Miss Annie Howard. Miss Sophie, William, Preston and Car-ter H. Harrison, Jr., were attired in he deepest mourning.

The Funeral Sevice

When the mourners were seated Dr. forrison opened the funeral service with prayer. Then the sweet voices of the choir boys were heard in "Nearer, My God, to Thee."

In the address following Dr. Morri son paid a touching tribute to the dead mayor, whom he had known well for

Again the choir sang "What Ar These with White Robes?" and "I Heard a Voice." Then followed the reading of the burial service, the bless ing, and the solemn and simple service closed with "Lead, Kindly Light." The March Resumed-At Graceland Com-

The casket was then borne once more to the catafalque. As soon as the mourners and the guard of honor were seated the line

of march was again resumed with At the cemetery the services were conducted by Rev. T. M. Morrison, Jr., and also by several lodges.

ions adjourned town-town as individcal organizations. Owing to the magnitude of the procession it did not reach Graceland until 5 o'clock. The remains were placed in a vault in the

WORLD'S FAIR GROUNDS, CHICAGO, Nov. 2.—Every concessionaire on the Midway plaisance has been stopped from doing business. Guards are stationed at the entrance to each place with strict orders to allow no money to be taken in and to admit no one who could not show a pass to enter the concession on business. Visitors were not prevented from passing up and down Midway, but as it was ically closed the thoroughfare practically crossed looked like a deserted cosmopol

SEVEN BOLD ROBBERS

Hold Up a Train on the Iron Mountain Railroad at Oliphant, Art.—The Con-ductor Instantly Killed, The Express Car Locted and the Passengers Furced to Narrender Their Valuables at the Muziles of Revolvers—Bloodhounds On the Trail.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark. Nov. 4 .- Fast ex ress train No. 31 of the St. Louis, Iron Mountain & Southern, known as the Cannon Ball, due here at 2:10 a. m. was held up and robbed by seven masked men at Oliphant, Ark, seven miles north of Newport, at 10 o'clock last night.

Passenger Conductor J. P. McNally was shot and killed while trying to protect his train.

Oliphant is a small lumber town of about 300 inhabitants, situated in a lonely timber district in White county. When train No. 51 stopped at the station two men jumped upon the engine and, pointing their revolvers at the en gineer and firemen, they ordered them to keep still, threatening to blow their brains out if they moved a muscle.

The other men surrounded the exress car, the door of which was open. and at once began firing a wicked fu-silade from their revolvers.

Conductor McNally drew his re olver and returned the robbers' fire, but before he had succeeded in wound ing any of them he was shot and killed.

looted the car. Leaving two men to guard the trainmen, the other robbers proceeded to rob the passengers. They entered the coaches and sleepers, and at the point of a revolver relieved all the passengers of their valuables.

They then left with a parting volley. taking a northerly direction. A tele-gram was at once sent to the sheriff at Newport, who formed a posse and started in pursuit. An engine was dispatched to Augusta for

Telegrams were quickly sent to Lit tle Rock for assistance, and a special train left about 1 a. m., carrying a posse of officers and a prek of blood-

The train which was 'eld up is ex pected here about 2:15 a. m., bringing remains of Conductor McNally. Until this train arrives full particulars

of the robbery cannot be learned. There is no idea as to the amount of money secured by the robbers. General Superintendent Peck and Division Superintendent Rose of the Iron Moun-tain, who were in Memphis last night, have been notified of the robbery by telegrams, and have instructed the railroad people here to offer a large re-ward for the arrest of the robbers.

STRUCK THE WRONG TRAIN

KNOXVILLE, Tenn., Nov. 4 .- An at tempt was made to rob the through night express train leaving here at 8:10 p. m. for Louisville over the Knoxville miles north of here, and two men boarded the express car. They had no sooner entered the car than several men opened fire on them. One of them, who has been since indentified as James Smith, of this city, was shot through the body and mortally wounded. The other, whose name has not been learned, was captured without injury. There was less than a hundred dollars in the express car

The Southern Express Co. had been on to a conspiracy to hold up the train for several days, and from four to ten armed men had been sent out on ev ery car for three nights past.

AN UNCONFIRMED RUMOR

That the Farmers' Loan and Trust Co. of New York Has Applied for a Receiver for the Westren Consoldated Coal and Iron Co. NEW YORK, Foy, 4.-A rumor that

the Farmers' Loan and Trust Co., of this city, had applied for the appointment of a receiver for the Western Consolidated Coal and Iron Co. could not be confirmed, nor was it denied, at the office of the former company lastnight. The secretary of the Farmers' Loan and Trust Co., Mr. Marston, said he knew nothing about it.

At the office of Turner, McClure & Raiston, counsel for the Farmers' Loan and Trust Co., it was said that Mr. Turner, the senior member of the firm was at Cincinnati, and that no information concerning the alleged fore-closure could be made public until his

FRANCIS H. WEEKS.

The Defaulting Lawyer, Arraigned in the New York Court of General Session and Committed to the Tombs. New York. Nov. 4.-Francis H.

Weeks, the defaulting lawyer who was extradicted from Costa Rica and brought back to this country, reached the Pennsylvania depot at 12:43 o'clock yesterday afternoon in charge of Detective Sergeants Reilly and Von Genchten, and was taken at once to

police headquarters.

He was arraigned in general s sions before Judge Martine at 2:07 o'clock. When asked to plead, he said that he would like to have time. Judge Martine then granted him until the 10th of the present month to make s formal plea er make such motion as he may desire. The judge then committed Mr. Weeks to the Tombs.

Loxpox. Nov. 4.-The Spanish em bassy in this city has received the fol-lowing dispatch from the government

The destruction of Riffian villages by the guns of the Spanish war ships and the forts at Melilla, in addition to the severe punishment Gen. Macias in-flicted upon the tribesmen on October 31, has caused the Riffians to disappear from the vicinity of the forts. firing has, therefore, stopped all along the line. The Spanish garrison now consists of 8,000 men.

MISSISSIPPI MATTERS.

Reunion of Veterane

NO. 47.

Convenues Oct. 31 .- The following or fer was issued here today:

HEADQUARTERS MISSISSIFF DIVISION, UNITED CONFEDERATE VETERANS, COLUMNUS, MISS., October 21, 1803.

General Orders No. 11—

1. As announced in general orders No. 10, from these headquarters under date of August 13th last, the fourth annual meeting and reunion of this division will be held in Jackson, Miss., on Tuesday and Wednesday, the 12th and 13th day of December next.

2. To be entitled to representation in said reunion, the respective camps composing the division are required, on receipt of this order to forward to the adjutant-general of the division a roll of their members, together with a post-office money-order covering the per capita dues of 10 cents for the members borne on said rolls.

capita dues of 10 cents for the members borne on said rolls.

3. The major-general commanding with great pleasure announces that Hon. J. W. Pewell of Meridian, Miss., has accepted to deliver the annual oration on the evening of the first day's session of said meeting.

By order of S. D. Lee.

Major-General Commanding.

E. T. Sykes, Adjutant-General.

Wanted to Kill Bie Step-Father. HoLLY SPRINGS, Nov. 3.—About o'elock this afternoon Walter McDonald, a white boy, age 16 years, attempted to kill Jim Swan, his step-father, in front of the barber shop on the public square of Holly Springs.

Swan is a desperate character and for years has made life unbearable for his family. McDonald says he has beaten him for twelve years. Of late he has been whipping his mother.

It appears that there was a general family row yesterday and Mrs. Swan had her husband arrested for whipping

This evening while Swan was standing in front of the barber shop young McDonald rushed up to him saying: "Dyou, I have got you now," at the same moment plunging a knife into his throat. Swan fell and the infuriated boy leaped upon him and just as he raised the knife to make a deadly plunge, City Marshal Sigman caught his hand. Several men assisted in taking the boy off-The first wound, which is serious, began about the ear and out straight down into the shoulder.

McDonald was lodged in jail as he could not make a \$150 bond. Some years ago Swan killed a man in

Memphis LEXINGTON, Nov. 3. -At 4 o'clock this norning the Holmes county courthouse was discovered to be on fire. This large two-story brick building is situated in

side are stores, offices and places of busi-ness. The building was erected before the war at a cost of \$25,000 or \$30,000. The fire originated in the office of the chancery clerk. When citizens reached the scene that office with all of its con-

the middle of the square and on every

tents was a smouldering ruin. & Ohio railroad. The train stopped at The fire had crossed over into the cir cuit clerk's office and was fast licking up the records there, but by heroid efforts many of the records of that office were saved.

The sheriff's office was the last to catch and sufficient time was given to save from that office all of the records and papers and furniture, including a large, new safe that had recently been

bought by the county. The superintendent of public education also saved all of his furniture and

The board of supervisors at the October term had purchased a handsome set of furniture for their room; this had only been received a few days ago. It had been put in place and had made this one of the prettiest court-rooms in the State. This was all burned, as it was impossible to reach the second story when the citizens reached the place.

A valuable law library, the property

of the county, was also destroyed, but by far the greatest loss to the county was the destruction of the records in the chancery clerk's office. This included all court papers, books and land records. The land deed books proper, not including deeds of trust and chattels book, were in a large safe, supposed to be fire-proof. The indexes to the records were on

the outside of the safe and are lost, and even if the deed records are saved there are no indexes by which deeds can be J. W. Dyer, the chancery clerk, had

all of his private account books de-stroyed, including not only his accounts with his office, but his plantation accounts as well. The courthouse was insured for \$10,-

000. The origin of the fire is not known. Different theories are indulged in but the general impression is that it was the work of an incendiary. The loss to the county is incalculable.

Ar Anderson, fourteen miles west of Canton, last week old man Stegall, St years old, and his son Bird Stegall, got into a controversy about a bale of cotton, both under the influence of liquor, when the old man struck Bird with a wrench, which Bird took from him and struck the old man, knocking him down, and afterward kicked and beat him very brutally. Old man Stegall died in a few hours. Bird Stegall is in jail at Canton.

J. M. MARTIN died at Corinth last week, having suffered for more than a year from a stroke of paralysis. He was 66 years old, served the county in the capacity of circuit clerk for eight

DR. T. J. WHEAT, one of the oldest and most noted ministers of the Methodist Church, died at Grenada last week. Dr. Wheat was for twenty years since the war professor of Greek at the State his connection with that institution he was a presiding elder, and his latest work was as paster of the Methodist Church in Grenada.